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THE MAGNETIC ELEMENTS AT THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE FROM 1605 TO 1900. .

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§ 1. The first recorded observation of the declination at the Cape was made in 1605, the first measurement of intensity about 1841, the first observation of inclination or dip in 1751. Other observations have been made at irregular intervals till 1840. In 1841 a detachment of R.A. began observations at the Royal Observatory, Capetown, and carried them on till 1846. This observational work was continued at the permanent magnetical observatory established in connection with the Royal Observatory of the Cape of Good Hope; the magnetic work seems to have been discontinued after 1869.

In recent years observations have been taken by the magnetic observers attached to various expeditions. In addition to these, yearly observations are taken at the Royal Observatory, Capetown, by Messrs. Beattie and Morrison with a set of field-instruments (Kew pattern) obtained by Sir David Gill in 1894.

§ 2. *Inclination.*

The following is a list of the determinations of inclination at the Cape:—

Date.	Observers.	Dip.	Authorities.	Remarks.
1751.	La Caille	- 43° 0'	From Sabine's 'Magne- tical and Meteorolo- gical Observations at the Cape of Good Hope,' vol. i. Mag- netism.	The results for 1841 to 1846 inclusive are the mean of observations taken as a rule twice weekly, four hours before and four hours after noon.
1770.	Ekeberg	- 44 25		
1774.	Bayley	- 45 37		
1774.	Ekeberg	- 44 29		
1775.	Wales	- 45 19		
1775.	Abererombie	- 46 21		
1776.	Bayley	- 46 31		
1780.	Bayley	- 46 46		
1791.	Vancouver	- 48 30		
1792.	Dentrecasteaux ..	- 47 25		
1818.	Freycinet	- 50 47		
1836.	Fitzroy	- 52 35		
1839.	Du Petit Thouars..	- 53 06		
1840.	Ross	- 53 08		
1841.	R.A. Detachment..	- 53 09		
1842.	R.A. „ ..	- 53 12		
1843.	R.A. „ ..	- 53 19		
1844.	R.A. „ ..	- 53 36		
1845.	R.A. „ ..	- 53 31		
1846.	R.A. „ ..	- 53 33		
1847.	- 53 41	Admiralty hydrogra- phic records.	
1848.	.....	- 53 47	
1849.	.....	- 53 52	
1850.	- 53 58	Sabine.	
Feb. 6, 1851.	Sir Thomas Maclear	- 54 02		
1852.	.....	- 54 04	
1853.	.....	- 54 09	
1854.	.....	- 54 19.6	
1855.	.....	- 54 24.5	
1856.	.....	- 54 23.9	
Jan. 1857.	- 54 23.0	Reise der Novara.	
Oct. 1857.	.....	- 54 36.4	
March 1858.	- 54 29.3	Dip-book R. O., C. of G. Hope.	
Aug. 1871.	Stone	- 55 45.4		
Sept. 1871.	Stone	- 55 34.9		
Nov. 1873.	- 55 56.3	Challenger Report, Narrative ii.	
Sept. 30, 1874.	.....	- 56 6.0	
Jan. 31, 1890.	Preston	- 57 15.2	U.S.Coast and Geodetic Survey, Bull. 23.	
Dec. 29, 1894.	Combe	- 57 50.0		
Jan. 11, 1895.	Finlay	- 57 52.0	R. O. Records, C. of G. Hope.	
Oct. 23, 1897.	Finlay	- 58 07.0		
Oct. 2, 1899.	Beattie & Morrison	- 58 31.0		
Aug. 19, 1900.	Beattie & Morrison	- 58 38.9	R. O. Records, C. of G. Hope.	
Dec. 1900.	Beattie & Morrison	- 58 39.7		
Dec. 1900.	Beattie & Morrison	- 58 41.1		

From the above results the secular variation of inclination is as follows:—

Period.	Secular Variation.
1751 to 1840	6.94' annual increase of south inclination.
1841 „ 1846	5.45 „ „ „
1843 „ 1854	5.10 „ „ „
1854 „ 1873	2.20 „ „ „
1873 „ 1890	4.90 „ „ „
1890 „ 1900	7.80 „ „ „

With Dip Circle 9,
by Dover.

With Dip Circle
142, by Dover.

The Magnetic Elements at the Cape of Good Hope.

§ 3. *Declination.*

The following list contains all the records of declination determination at the Cape of Good Hope which have come under our observation.

Date.	Observers.	Declination.	Authorities.	Remarks.
1605.	Davis.....	0° 30' E. of N.		
1609.	Keeling.....	0 12 W. of N.		
1614.	Pring.....	1 30 „		
1614.	Daunton	1 45 „		
1622.	.....	2 0 „		
1675.	.....	8 0 „		
1675.	Leydeker	8 28 „		
1691.	.....	11 0 „		
1721.	Mathews	16 25 „		
1754.	Mathews	16 23 „		
1751.	La Caille	19 15 „		
1753.	La Caille	19 00 „		
1768.	Wallis	19 30 „		
1768.	Carteret	19 30 „		
1770.	Ekeberg	19 10 „	Taken from Sabine's	
1771.	Cook	20 30 „	'Magnetical and	
1772.	Wales	20 26 „	Meteorological Ob-	
1774.	Ekeberg	21 39 „	servations at the	
1774.	Bayley	21 36 „	Cape of Good Hope,'	
1775.	Wales	21 14 „	vol. i. Magnetism.	
1780.	Cook	22 16 „		
1783.	Lodberg	22 23 „		
1788.	Bligh.....	24 4 „		
1791.	Vancouver	25 40 „		
1792.	Dentrecasteaux ..	24 31 „		
1818.	Freycinet	26 31 „		
1836.	Fitzroy	28 30 „		
1839.	Du Petit-Thouars	29 9 „	From April, 1841, to July, 1846, inclu-	
1841.	R.A. Detachment..	29 0·2 „	sive the declination was observed	
1842.	R.A. „ ..	29 6·0 „	hourly. The declination given for	
1843.	R.A. „ ..	29 5·0 „	each year is the mean of all the ob-	
1844.	R.A. „ ..	29 6·2 „	servations for that year.	
1845.	R.A. „ ..	29 7·4 „	From Sept., 1846, to Aug., 1850, the	
1846.	R.A. „ ..	29 9·2 „	declination was observed five times	
1847.	.....	29 12·4 „	daily. The declination given for	
1848.	.....	29 14·0 „	the year is the mean of all the ob-	
1849.	.....	29 16·4 „	servations for that year.	
1850.	.....	29 18·8 „	From Sept., 1850, to	
1851.	.....	29 20·9 „	Mar., 1852, the decli-	
1852.	.....	29 22·9 „	nation was observed	
Oct. 11, 1857.	.....	29 34·4 „	R. Obs. C. of G. Hope	five times daily.
1860.	.....	29 41·8 „	Magnetic Records.	
1861.	.....	29 44·8 „	Reise der 'Novara.'	
1862.	.....	29 50·3 „		
1863.	.....	29 52·1 „		
1864.	.....	29 53·9 „	Magnetic Records, R.	From October, 1860, to
1865.	.....	30 0·1 „	Obs. C. of G. Hope.	January, 1869, the
1866.	.....	30 2·0 „		declination was ob-
1867.	.....	30 1·7 „		served twice daily.
1868.	.....	30 1·9 „		
Jan. 1869.	.....	30 1·5 „		
Nov. 1873.	.....	30 4·0 „	{ <i>Challenger</i> Reports,	
			Narrative, vol. ii.	
Jan. 1890.	Preston	29 36·0 „	{ U.S.Coast and Geodetic	
			Survey, Bull. 23.	
Jan. 1895.	Finlay	29 18·0 „	{ Magnetic Records, R.	
Nov. 1897.	Finlay	29 2·0 „	Obs. C. of G. Hope.	
Dec. 1900.	Beattie & Morrison	23 53·0 „		

From the above results the secular variation of declination is as follows :—

Period.	Secular Variation.
1605 to 1839	7'·56 increase of westerly declination.
1841 „ 1850	1·30 „ „ „
1843 „ 1866	2·30 „ „ „
1866 „ 1869	Very nearly constant.
1870 „ 1890	2·80 decrease of westerly declination.
1890 „ 1900	3·91 „ „ „

§ 4. The observations for intensity are fewer. The first recorded trustworthy observation was made in 1843. So far as is known to us, the results of all observations made since that date are contained in the following list. The results are given in c.g.s. units.

Date.	Observer.	Horizontal Intensity. c.g.s.units.	Total Intensity. c.g.s. units.	Authorities.
1843.	R.A. Detachment..	·2089	·3498	Sabine, 'Magnetical and Meteorological Observations at Cape of Good Hope,' vol. i.
1844.	„ „	·2069	·3470	
1845.	„ „	·2082	·3495	
1846.	Smalley.....	·2080		
1847.	„	·2077		
1848.	„	·2072		
1850.	„	·2066		
1852.	Macleary.....	·2059	·3506	
1853.	„	·2056	·3511	
1854.	„	·2050	·3516	
1855.	„	·2048	·3517	Magnetic Records, R. Obs. Cape of Good Hope.
1856.	„	·2044	·3511	
1857.	„	·2041	·3507	Reise der Novara.
Sept. 1857.	.....	·2056	·3684
Nov. 1873.	·1989	·3551	Challenger Report; Narrative, vol. ii.
Jan. 1890.	Preston.....	·1916	·3542	
Jan. 1895.	Finlay.....	·1900	·3572	U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Bull. 23.
Aug. 1897.	Finlay.....	·18835	·3566	
Jan. 1901.	Beattie & Morrison	·1851	·3559	

Secular Variation.

	Horizontal Intensity. c.g.s.units.	Total Intensity. c.g.s. units.
1843 to 1855	·00035 annual decrease.	·00016 annual increase.
1855 „ 1901	·00043 „ „	·00009 „ „
1890-1 „ 1901	·00059 „ „	?

APPENDIX I.

The following results of observations of declination were carried out at the Magnetic Observatory, at one time established at the Royal Observatory, Cape Town. The observations for 1850-51-52 were a continuation of those recorded in 'Sabine's Magnetical and Meteorological Observations, Cape of Good Hope,' vol. i. The declination

was observed five times daily, viz., at 1h. 34m. p.m., 5h. 34m. p.m., 9h. 34m. p.m., 5h. 34m. a.m., 9h. 34m. a.m., Cape time.

The monthly means given on page 1*b*, are the average of all the values obtained during that month.

The declination results for the period October, 1860, to January, 1869, were observed twice daily—Sundays and public holidays excepted—at 10h. 34m. a.m., and 3h. 34m. p.m., Cape time.

The results given under the headings 10h. 34m. a.m., and 3h. 34m. p.m. are the means of the observations made at these hours for the periods given. The results of these years are of considerable interest, as it was at this time that the magnetic declination for a number of years was practically steady.

DECLINATION.

Month.	Mean, 1850.	Declination, 1851.	1852.
Jan.		29° 19'·3 W. of N.	29° 22'·2 W. of N.
Feb.		29 20·6 "	29 23·4 "
March		29 20·7 "	29 23·2 (first ten days only)
April		29 20·7 "	
May		29 20·7 "	
June		29 20·6 "	
July		29 20·9 "	
Aug.		29 21·0 "	
Sept.	29° 20·0' W. of N.	29 22·4 "	
Oct.	29 19·3 "	29 22·1 "	
Nov.	29 19·1 "	29 21·6 "	
Dec.	29 18·8 "	29 19·9 "	

DECLINATION RESULTS, 1860–1869.

	Date.	10h. 34m. a.m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1860.	Oct. 8–Oct. 17	29° 45'·7	29° 37'·9	29° 41'·8	W. of N. 29° 41'·8 W. of N.
	Oct. 18–Oct. 27	29 46·1	29 37·1	29 41·7	"
	Oct. 28–Nov. 6	29 49·0	29 38·3	29 43·7	"
	Nov. 7–Nov. 16	29 45·4	29 37·5	29 41·5	"
	Nov. 17–Nov. 26	29 45·4	29 37·0	29 41·2	"
	Nov. 27–Dec. 6	29 45·6	29 37·5	29 41·6	"
	Dec. 7–Dec. 16	29 45·2	29 38·1	29 41·7	"
	Dec. 17–Dec. 26	29 44·1	29 37·6	29 40·9	"
1861.	Dec. 27–Jan. 5	29 47·1	29 37·4	29 42·3	" 29° 44'·8 W. of N.
	Jan. 6–Jan. 15	29 46·9	29 38·5	29 42·7	"
	Jan. 16–Jan. 25	29 46·6	29 39·1	29 42·9	"
	Jan. 26–Feb. 4	29 47·8	29 41·6	29 44·7	"
	Feb. 5–Feb. 14	29 48·8	29 39·5	22 44·2	"
	Feb. 15–Feb. 24	29 48·9	29 42·1	29 45·5	"
	Feb. 25–Mar. 6	29 50·1	29 40·1	29 45·1	"
	Mar. 7–Mar. 16	29 52·8	29 40·9	29 46·9	"
	Mar. 17–Mar. 26	29 50·3	29 40·1	29 45·2	"
	Mar. 27–April 5	29 52·1	29 39·8	29 46·0	"
	April 6–April 15	29 50·1	29 42·1	29 46·1	"
	April 16–April 25	29 50·2	29 42·2	29 46·2	"
	April 26–May 5	29 49·9	29 41·1	29 45·5	"
	May 6–May 15	29 47·1	29 41·6	29 44·4	"
	May 16–May 25	29 46·7	29 42·5	29 44·6	"

	Date.	10h. 34m. a.m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1861.	May 26-June 4.	29° 44'·9	29° 42'·8	29° 43'·9	W. of N. 29° 44'·8 W. of N.
	June 5-June 14.	29 44·5	29 41·5	29 43·0	„
	June 15-June 24.	29 44·3	29 40·6	29 42·5	„
	June 25-July 4.	29 43·4	29 40·0	29 41·7	„
	July 5-July 14.	29 45·2	29 41·1	29 43·2	„
	July 15-July 24.	29 44·4	29 42·8	29 43·6	„
	July 25-Aug. 3.	29 45·1	29 41·4	29 43·3	„
	Aug. 4-Aug. 13.	29 44·6	29 41·4	29 43·0	„
	Aug. 14-Aug. 23.	29 45·3	29 42·0	29 43·7	„
	Aug. 24-Sept. 2.	22 45·8	29 42·1	29 44·0	„
	Sept. 3-Sept. 12.	29 46·7	29 42·2	29 44·5	„
	Sept. 13-Sept. 22.	29 48·6	29 42·1	29 45·4	„
	Sept. 23-Oct. 2.	29 49·0	29 40·2	29 44·6	„
	Oct. 3-Oct. 12.	29 47·8	29 41·1	29 44·5	„
	Oct. 13-Oct. 22.	29 49·2	29 41·7	29 45·5	„
	Oct. 23-Nov. 1.	29 49·6	29 41·9	29 45·8	„
	Nov. 2-Nov. 11.	29 50·1	29 43·0	29 46·6	„
	Nov. 12-Nov. 21.	29 48·1	29 43·3	29 45·7	„
	Nov. 22-Dec. 1.	29 49·6	29 44·0	29 46·8	„
	Dec. 2-Dec. 11.	29 50·4	29 44·2	29 47·3	„
	Dec. 12-Dec. 21.	29 50·9	29 44·0	29 47·5	„
	Dec. 22-Dec. 31.	29 50·2	29 45·0	29 47·6	„
1862.	Jan. 1-Jan. 10.	29 52·8	29 44·3	29 48·6	29° 50'·3 W. of N.
	Jan. 11-Jan. 20.	29 52·4	29 46·4	29 49·4	„
	Jan. 21-Jan. 30.	29 50·9	29 47·4	29 49·2	„
	Jan. 31-Feb. 9.	29 52·6	29 44·3	29 48·5	„
	Feb. 10-Feb. 19.	29 54·6	29 45·7	29 50·2	„
	Feb. 20-Feb. 29.	29 55·6	29 44·8	29 50·2	„
	Mar. 2-Mar. 11.	29 57·3	29 45·8	29 51·6	„
	Mar. 12-Mar. 21.	29 55·5	29 46·0	29 50·8	„
	Mar. 22-Mar. 31.	29 55·4	29 45·7	29 50·6	„
	April 1-April 10.	29 54·8	29 46·8	29 50·8	„
	April 11-April 20.	29 55·0	29 47·3	29 51·2	„
	April 21-April 30.	29 53·7	29 48·0	29 50·9	„
	May 1-May 10.	29 53·5	29 47·2	29 50·4	„
	May 11-May 20.	29 52·1	29 46·7	29 49·4	„
	May 21-May 30.	29 52·4	29 47·7	29 50·1	„
	June 1-June 9.	29 52·9	29 48·8	29 50·9	„
	June 10-June 19.	29 49·9	29 46·8	29 48·3	„
	June 20-June 29.	29 49·6	29 45·5	29 47·6	„
	July 1-July 9.	29 49·9	29 46·7	29 48·3	„
	July 30-Aug. 8.	29 53·8	29 48·5	29 51·2	„
	Aug. 9-Aug. 18.	29 53·2	29 48·0	29 50·6	„
	Aug. 19-Aug. 28.	29 54·0	29 48·4	29 51·2	„
	Aug. 29-Sept. 7.	29 53·1	29 49·2	29 51·2	„
	Sept. 8-Sept. 17.	29 53·9	29 47·7	29 50·8	„
	Sept. 18-Sept. 27.	29 53·5	29 47·1	29 50·3	„
	Sept. 28-Oct. 7.	29 55·1	29 47·7	29 51·4	„
	Oct. 8-Oct. 17.	29 53·2	29 47·5	29 50·4	„
	Oct. 18-Oct. 27.	29 52·5	26 47·4	29 50·0	„
	Oct. 28-Nov. 6.	29 52·4	29 47·0	29 49·7	„
	Nov. 7-Nov. 16.	29 53·9	29 46·6	29 50·2	„
	Nov. 17-Nov. 26.	29 54·7	29 46·7	29 50·7	„
	Nov. 27-Dec. 6.	29 51·1	29 49·1	29 51·6	„
	Dec. 7-Dec. 16.	29 53·9	29 49·4	29 51·6	„
	Dec. 17-Dec. 26.	29 53·9	29 50·3	29 52·1	„
1863.	Dec. 27-Jan. 5.	29 54·6	29 49·4	29 52·0	29° 52'·1 W. of N.
	Jan. 6-Jan. 15.	29 56·0	29 48·7	29 52·3	„
	Jan. 16-Jan. 25.	29 54·4	29 49·8	29 52·1	„
	Jan. 26-Feb. 4.	29 54·2	29 50·6	29 52·4	„
	Feb. 5-Feb. 14.	29 56·3	29 49·2	29 52·8	„
	Feb. 15-Feb. 24.	29 57·1	29 49·3	29 53·2	„
	Feb. 25-Mar. 6.	29 58·0	29 51·0	29 54·5	„

	Date.	10h. 34m. a.m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1863.	Mar. 7–Mar. 16.	29° 59'·1	29° 48'·5	29° 53'·8	W. of N. 29° 52'·1 W. of N.
	Mar. 17–Mar. 26.	29 58·4	29 49·7	29 54·1	,,
	Mar. 27–April 5.	29 57·5	29 49·2	29 53·4	,,
	April 6–April 15.	29 55·1	29 48·5	29 51·8	,,
	April 16–April 25.	29 56·4	29 50·3	29 53·4	,,
	April 26–May 5.	29 53·9	29 50·1	29 52·0	,,
	May 6–May 15.	29 54·4	29 49·4	29 51·9	,,
	May 16–May 25.	29 53·0	29 49·7	29 51·4	,,
	May 26–June 4.	29 52·9	29 48·7	29 50·8	,,
	June 5–June 14.	29 50·8	29 49·3	29 50·1	,,
	June 15–June 24.	29 51·3	29 49·4	29 50·4	,,
	June 25–July 4.	29 51·3	29 48·8	29 50·1	,,
	July 5–July 14.	29 51·0	29 48·6	29 49·8	,,
	July 15–July 24.	29 50·1	29 49·4	29 49·8	,,
	July 25–Aug. 4.	29 52·1	29 49·4	29 50·8	,,
	Aug. 5–Aug. 14.	29 52·3	29 49·3	29 50·8	,,
	Aug. 15–Aug. 24.	29 51·9	29 49·8	29 50·9	,,
	Aug. 25–Sept. 3.	29 53·7	29 50·2	29 55·0	,,
	Sept. 4–Sept. 13.	29 54·0	29 50·7	29 52·4	,,
	Sept. 14–Sept. 23.	29 54·6	29 50·1	29 52·4	,,
	Sept. 24–Oct. 3.	29 55·0	29 49·7	29 52·4	,,
	Oct. 4–Oct. 13.	29 54·4	29 48·9	29 51·7	,,
	Oct. 14–Oct. 23.	29 54·8	29 48·2	29 51·5	,,
	Oct. 24–Nov. 2.	29 54·7	29 48·0	29 51·4	,,
	Nov. 3–Nov. 12.	29 53·7	29 49·6	29 51·7	,,
	Nov. 13–Nov. 22.	29 56·2	29 50·1	29 53·2	,,
	Nov. 23–Dec. 2.	29 58·0	29 50·2	29 54·1	,,
	Dec. 3–Dec. 12.	29 56·9	29 50·5	29 53·7	,,
	Dec. 13–Dec. 22.	29 56·0	29 52·1	29 54·1	,,
1864.	Dec 23–Jan. 1.	29 55·3	29 52·1	29 53·7	29° 53'·9 W. of N.
	Jan. 2–Jan. 11.	29 56·8	29 53·8	29 55·3	,,
	Jan. 12–Jan. 21.	29 58·2	29 53·4	29 55·8	,,
	Jan. 22–Jan. 31.	29 57·3	29 51·1	29 54·2	,,
	Feb. 1–Feb. 10.	29 56·6	29 53·9	29 55·2	,,
	Feb. 11–Feb. 20.	29 57·8	29 52·9	29 55·4	,,
	Feb. 21–Mar. 1.	30 1·6	29 51·7	29 56·7	,,
	Mar. 2–Mar. 11.	30 2·5	29 54·0	29 58·3	,,
	Mar. 12–Mar. 21.	30 1·7	29 53·1	29 57·4	,,
	Mar. 22–Mar. 31.	30 2·4	29 55·2	29 58·8	,,
	April 1–April 10.	30 0·5	29 55·4	29 58·0	,,
	April 11–April 20.	30 0·3	29 54·6	29 57·5	,,
	April 21–April 30.	30 0·5	29 56·0	29 58·3	,,
	May 1–May 10.	29 59·1	29 55·4	29 57·3	,,
	May 11–May 20.	29 57·2	29 54·8	29 56·0	,,
	May 21–May 30.	29 57·3	29 56·3	29 56·8	,,
	May 31–June 9.	29 56·0	29 55·5	29 55·8	,,
	June 10–June 19.	29 56·8	29 55·5	29 56·2	,,
	June 20–June 29.	29 56·7	29 55·0	29 55·9	,,
	June 30–July 9.	29 55·7	29 53·2	29 54·5	,,
	July 10–July 20.	29 57·2	29 53·7	29 55·5	,,
	July 20–July 29.	29 57·0	29 54·8	29 55·9	,,
	July 30–Aug. 8.	29 57·7	29 54·7	29 55·9	,,
	Aug. 9–Aug. 18.	29 58·2	29 54·7	29 56·5	,,
	Aug. 19–Aug. 28.	29 56·9	29 55·0	29 56·0	,,
	Aug. 29–Sept. 7.	29 58·0	29 55·1	29 56·6	,,
	Sept. 8–Sept. 17.	29 58·6	29 54·6	29 56·6	,,
	Sept. 18–Sept. 27.	29 59·2	29 55·4	29 57·3	,,
	Sept. 28–Oct. 7.	29 59·9	29 53·4	29 56·7	,,
	Oct. 8–Oct. 17.	30 1·1	29 54·7	29 57·9	,,
	Oct. 18–Oct. 27.	30 0·8	29 55·0	29 57·9	,,
	Oct. 28–Nov. 6.	30 0·7	29 54·9	29 57·8	,,
	Nov. 7–Nov. 16.	30 1·2	29 54·5	29 57·9	,,
	Nov. 17–Nov. 26.	29 58·6	29 54·9	29 56·8	,,

	Date.	10h. 34m. a.m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1864.	Nov. 27-Dec. 6.	29° 59'·4	29° 54'·6	29° 57'·0	W. of N. 29° 53'·9 W. of N.
	Dec. 7-Dec. 16.	29 59·3	29 55·7	29 57·5	„
	Dec. 17-Dec. 26.	29 59·7	29 54·2	29 57·0	„
1865.	Dec. 27-Jan. 5.	30 0·2	29 53·4	29 56·8	30° 0'·1 W. of N.
	Jan. 6-Jan. 15.	30 2·3	29 54·1	29 58·2	„
	Jan. 16-Jan. 25.	30 3·8	29 55·1	29 59·5	„
	Jan. 26-Feb. 4.	30 4·4	29 54·5	29 59·5	„
	Feb. 5-Feb. 14.	30 5·9	29 54·5	29 55·2	„
	Feb. 15-Feb. 24.	30 4·3	29 57·6	30 1·0	„
	Feb. 25-Mar. 6.	30 5·4	29 55·9	30 0·7	„
	Mar. 7-Mar. 16.	30 4·6	29 57 0	30 0·8	„
	Mar. 17-Mar. 26.	30 3·6	29 58·1	30 0·9	„
	Mar. 27-April 5.	30 6·1	29 57·5	30 1·8	„
	April 6-April 15.	30 4·0	29 58·9	30 1·5	„
	April 16-April 25.	30 2·2	29 59·1	30 0·7	„
	April 26-May 5.	30 2·9	29 58·2	30 0·6	„
	May 6-May 15.	30 1·1	29 58·9	30 0·0	„
	May 16-May 25.	30 0·4	29 55·9	29 58·2	„
	May 26-June 4.	30 0·7	29 57·6	29 59·2	„
	June 5-June 14.	30 0·9	29 59·1	30 0·0	„
	June 15-June 24.	30 0·0	29 58·5	29 59·3	„
	June 25-July 4.	30 0·7	29 58·4	29 59·6	„
	July 5-July 14.	29 59·3	29 58·0	29 58·7	„
	July 15-July 24.	29 58·9	29 58·2	29 58·6	„
	July 25-Aug. 3.	30 1·1	29 57·6	29 59·4	„
	Aug. 4-Aug. 13.	30 0·4	30 0·2	30 0·3	„
	Aug. 14-Aug. 23.	30 0·9	29 58·4	29 59·7	„
	Aug. 24-Sept. 2.	30 2·7	29 59·7	30 1·2	„
	Sept. 3-Sept. 12.	30 2·2	29 59·3	30 0·8	„
	Sept. 13-Sept. 22.	30 2·4	29 59·1	30 0·8	„
	Sept. 23-Oct. 2.	30 2·4	29 58·5	30 0·5	„
	Oct. 3-Oct. 12.	30 4·6	29 57·6	30 1·1	„
	Oct. 13-Oct. 22.	30 4·4	29 57·5	30 1·0	„
	Oct. 23-Nov. 1.	30 2·6	29 56·5	29 59·6	„
	Nov. 2-Nov. 11.	30 3·5	29 58·6	30 1·1	„
	Nov. 12-Nov. 21.	30 3·0	29 59·1	30 1·1	„
	Nov. 22-Dec. 1.	30 3·3	29 59·4	30 1·4	„
	Dec. 2-Dec. 11.	30 3·1	29 59·0	30 1·1	„
	Dec. 12-Dec. 21.	30 2·8	29 58·7	30 0·8	„
	Dec. 22-Dec. 31.	30 2·4	30 0·3	30 1·4	„
1866.	Jan. 1-Jan. 10.	30 3·5	30 0·5	30 2·0	30° 2'·0 W. of N.
	Jan. 11-Jan. 20.	30 5·1	30 1·4	30 3·3	„
	Jan. 21-Jan. 30.	30 4·3	30 2·0	30 3·2	„
	Jan. 31-Feb. 9.	30 4·7	30 0·9	30 2·8	„
	Feb. 10-Feb. 19.	30 3·9	29 59·3	30 1·6	„
	Feb. 20-Mar. 1.	30 6·6	30 0·3	30 3·5	„
	Mar. 2-Mar. 11.	30 7·8	29 59·4	30 3·6	„
	Mar. 12-Mar. 21.	30 10·0	30 0·1	30 5·1	„
	Mar. 22-Mar. 31.	30 6·1	30 0·4	30 3·3	„
	April 1-April 10.	30 6·8	30 2·7	30 4·8	„
	April 11-April 20.	30 6·1	37 1·3	30 3·7	„
	April 21-April 30.	30 5·5	30 0·5	30 3·0	„
	May 1-May 10.	30 4·6	30 0·6	30 2·6	„
	May 11-May 20.	30 4·0	30 0·5	30 2·3	„
	May 21-May 30.	30 3·5	30 0·6	30 2·1	„
	May 31-June 9.	30 0·1	29 59·4	29 59·8	„
	July 20-July 29.	30 3·0	30 0·9	30 2·0	„
	July 30-Aug. 8.	30 3·4	30 0·3	30 1·9	„
	Aug. 9-Aug. 18.	30 2·7	30 59·8	30 1·3	„
	Aug. 19-Aug. 28.	30 1·8	30 0·2	30 1·0	„
	Aug. 29-Sept. 7.	30 0·2	29 58·2	29 59·2	„
	Sept. 8-Sept. 17.	30 0·3	29 58·7	29 59·5	„
	Sept. 18-Sept. 27.	30 3·6	29 59·2	30 1·4	„

	Date.	Ch. 34m. a m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1866.	Sept. 28-Oct. 7.	30° 2'·7	29° 58'·4	30° 0'·6	W. of N. 30° 2'·0 W. of N.
	Oct. 8-Oct. 17.	30 3·0	29 57·5	30 0·3	,,
	Oct. 18-Oct. 27.	30 3·2	29 58·1	30 0·7	,,
	Oct. 28-Nov. 6.	30 3·5	29 58·1	30 0·8	,,
	Nov. 7-Nov. 16.	30 2·3	29 59·1	30 0·7	,,
	Nov. 17-Nov. 26.	30 4·0	29 59·9	30 2·0	,,
	Nov. 27-Dec. 6.	30 3·7	30 0·0	30 1·9	,,
	Dec. 7-Dec. 16.	30 5·4	29 59·1	30 2·3	,,
	Dec. 17-Dec. 26.	30 3·5	30 0·2	30 1·9	,,
1867.	Dec. 27-Jan. 5.	30 4·6	30 0·0	30 2·3	30° 1'·7 W. of N.
	Jan. 6-Jan. 15.	30 5·6	30 0·3	30 3·0	,,
	Jan. 16-Jan. 25.	30 5·1	30 0·5	30 2·3	,,
	Jan. 26-Feb. 4.	30 3·5	30 0·5	30 1·9	,,
	Feb. 5-Feb. 14.	30 5·0	30 0·6	30 2·8	,,
	Feb. 15-Feb. 24.	30 4·8	30 1·3	30 3·1	,,
	Feb. 25-Mar. 6.	30 6·1	30 0·0	30 3·1	,,
	Mar. 7-Mar. 16.	30 7·3	30 1·6	30 4·5	,,
	Mar. 17-Mar. 26.	30 5·6	29 59·1	30 2·4	,,
	Mar. 27-April 5.	30 5·5	30 0·0	30 2·8	,,
	April 6-April 15.	30 5·8	30 1·4	30 3·6	,,
	April 16-April 25.	30 4·2	30 1·0	30 2·6	,,
	April 26-May 5.	30 4·2	30 1·5	30 2·9	,,
	May 6-May 15.	30 3·4	30 0·5	30 2·0	,,
	May 16-May 25.	30 3·0	30 0·1	30 1·6	,,
	May 26-June 4.	30 3·8	30 2·2	30 3·0	,,
	June 5-June 14.	30 2·0	30 0·2	30 1·1	,,
	June 15-June 24.	30 2·2	30 0·6	30 1·4	,,
	June 25-July 4.	30 0·6	30 0·0	30 0·3	,,
	July 5-July 14.	30 0·3	29 59·0	29 59·7	,,
	July 15-July 24.	30 1·3	29 58·8	30 0·1	,,
	July 25-Aug. 3.	30 0·5	29 58·3	29 59·4	,,
	Aug. 4-Aug. 13.	29 59·9	29 58·6	29 59·3	,,
	Aug. 14-Aug. 23.	30 1·6	29 59·4	30 0·5	,,
	Aug. 24-Sept. 2.	30 1·6	29 59·8	30 0·7	,,
	Sept. 3-Sept. 12.	30 2·9	29 52·8	30 1·4	,,
	Sept. 13-Sept. 22.	30 4·7	29 59·8	30 2·2	,,
	Sept. 23-Oct. 2.	30 3·7	29 59·0	30 1·4	,,
	Oct. 3-Oct. 12.	30 3·2	29 58·5	30 0·9	,,
	Oct. 13-Oct. 22.	30 4·6	29 57·0	30 0·8	,,
	Oct. 23-Nov. 1.	30 3·4	29 58·0	30 0·7	,,
	Nov. 2-Nov. 11.	30 2·5	29 57·9	30 0·2	,,
	Nov. 12-Nov. 21.	30 3·5	29 57·8	30 0·7	,,
	Nov. 22-Dec. 1.	30 3·7	29 59·1	30 1·4	,,
	Dec. 2-Dec. 11.	30 2·8	29 59·3	30 1·1	,,
	Dec. 12-Dec. 21.	30 4·2	29 58·3	30 1·3	,,
	Dec. 22-Dec. 31.	30 4·7	29 58·3	30 1·5	,,
1868.	Jan. 1-Jan. 10.	30 4·2	29 59·4	30 1·8	30° 1'·9 W. of N.
	Jan. 11-Jan. 20.	30 3·4	29 58·0	30 0·7	,,
	Jan. 21-Jan. 30.	30 3·8	30 0·1	30 2·0	,,
	Jan. 31-Feb. 9.	30 3·5	29 59·9	30 1·7	,,
	Feb. 10-Feb. 19.	30 3·8	29 58·6	30 1·2	,,
	Feb. 20-Feb. 29.	30 5·7	30 0·7	30 3·2	,,
	Mar. 1-Mar. 10.	30 7·2	30 0·5	30 3·9	,,
	Mar. 11-Mar. 20.	30 8·0	30 0·1	30 4·1	,,
	Mar. 21-Mar. 30.	30 7·1	30 1·6	30 4·4	,,
	Mar. 31-April 9.	30 7·8	30 1·0	30 4·4	,,
	April 10-April 19.	30 5·3	30 1·9	30 3·6	,,
	April 20-April 29.	30 6·2	30 2·9	30 4·6	,,
	April 30-May 9.	30 4·7	30 1·2	30 3·0	,,
	May 10-May 19.	30 4·5	30 1·6	30 3·1	,,
	May 30-June 8.	30 1·9	29 59·3	30 0·6	,,
	June 9-June 18.	30 1·2	30 0·2	30 0·7	,,
	June 19-June 28.	30 0·8	29 58·5	29 59·7	,,

	Date.	10h. 34m. a.m.	3h. 34m. p.m.	Mean.	Yearly Mean.
1868.	June 29–July 8.	30° 1'·1	29° 58'·8	30° 0'·0	W. of N. 30° 1'·9 W. of N.
	July 9–July 18.	30 1·1	30 1·1	30 1·1	„
	July 19–July 28.	30 3·2	30 0·8	30 2·0	„
	July 29–Aug. 7.	30 2·9	30 0·2	30 1·6	„
	Aug. 8–Aug. 17.	30 2·6	30 0·3	30 1·5	„
	Aug. 18–Aug. 27.	30 2·3	29 59·8	30 1·1	„
	Aug. 28–Sept. 6.	30 2·1	29 59·3	30 0·7	„
	Sept. 7–Sept. 16.	30 3·6	29 58·7	30 1·2	„
	Sept. 17–Sept. 26.	30 2·1	29 57·4	29 59·8	„
	Sept. 27–Oct. 6.	30 4·5	29 57·5	30 1·0	„
	Oct. 7–Oct. 16.	30 4·4	29 57·4	30 0·9	„
	Oct. 17–Oct. 26.	29 6·3	29 58·5	30 2·4	„
	Oct. 27–Nov. 5.	30 6·4	29 58·4	30 2·4	„
	Nov. 6–Nov. 15.	30 4·9	29 57·9	30 1·4	„
	Nov. 16–Nov. 25.	30 4·1	29 57·8	30 1·0	„
	Nov. 26–Dec. 5.	30 4·5	29 57·6	30 1·1	„
	Dec. 6–Dec. 15.	30 5·0	29 59·3	30 2·2	„
	Dec. 16–Dec. 25.	30 4·5	29 59·2	30 1·9	„
1869.	Dec. 26–Jan. 4.	30 5·0	29 57·9	30 1·5	„

APPENDIX II.

The appended results of observations of inclination taken at the Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope, have not hitherto been published. So far as we have been able to find the observations were carried out with a dip-circle obtained from Woolwich by Mr. Maclear—afterwards Sir Thomas Maclear. The needles used were marked 1, 2, respectively. In 1854 needle 1 was broken. A new pair—marked 1, 2 new pair—were afterwards used.

It is evident from the results that the needles did not agree amongst themselves.

INCLINATION.

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1852.	May 4	.....	12.0	1	53° 56'·4
	„ 4	.....	4.0 p.m.	1	54 5·6
	„ 11	.....	10.30 a.m.	1	53 58·0
	„ 11	.....	10.30 a.m.	1	54 7·2
	„ 11	.....	4.0 p.m.	1	54 19·8
	„ 18	.....	11.50 a.m.	1	54 7·2
	„ 18	.....	3.10 p.m.	1	54 8·1
	„ 26	.....	11.35 a.m.	1	54 12·5
	„ 26	.....	3.22 p.m.	1	54 1·9
					54° 6'·0
1852.	June 2	.....	11.22 a.m.	1	54 2·2
	„ 2	.....	3.42 p.m.	1	54 6·9
	„ 8	.....	11.15 a.m.	1	54 3·2
	„ 8	.....	3.15 p.m.	—	54 7·3
	„ 15	.....	11·2 a.m.	1	54 0·4
	„ 15	.....	3.42 p.m.	1	54 8·4
	„ 21	.....	2.30	„ 1	54 2·3
	„ 21	.....	4.10	„ 1	54 8·7
	„ 22	.....	10.52 a.m.	1	54 6·3
					54° 5'·4

Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1852. June 22	2.2 p.m.	1	54° 4'0	50° 5'4
„ 22	3.59	1	54 4.1	
„ 30	12.37½	1	54 4.3	
„ 30	3.58	1	54 9.2	
1852. July 6	11.2½ a.m.	1	54 3.6	54° 1'9
„ 6	3.49 p.m.	1	54 6.1	
„ 13	11.55 a.m.	1	54 5.4	
„ 13	3.50 p.m.	1	54 3.9	
„ 21	10.7 a.m.	—	54 3.3	
„ 21	4.7 p.m.	1	53 56.0	
„ 27	11.30 a.m.	1	53 53.4	
„ 27	3.40 p.m.	1	54 3.3	
1852. Aug. 5	9.30 a.m.	1	53 59.0	54° 2'8
„ 5	4.22 p.m.	1	54 2.1	
„ 10	9.40 a.m.	1	54 1.0	
„ 10	3.56 p.m.	1	54 4.3	
„ 17	9.40 a.m.	1	54 2.4	
„ 17	4.10 p.m.	1	54 9.3	
„ 24	10.52 a.m.	1	54 0.6	
„ 24	3.32 p.m.	1	54 6.8	
„ 31	10.22 a.m.	1	53 38.7	
„ 31	3.35 p.m.	1	54 2.1	
1852. Sept. 1	11.5 a.m.	1	53 59.8	54° 4'5
„ 1	3.30 p.m.	1	54 0.5	
„ 7	9.5 a.m.	1	54 8.8	
„ 7	3.55 p.m.	1	54 10.1	
„ 14	10.7 a.m.	1	54 4.4	
„ 14	3.27 p.m.	1	54 6.3	
„ 21	10.35 a.m.	1	54 1.7	
„ 21	3.30 p.m.	1	54 4.4	
„ 28	10.42 a.m.	1	54 4.5	
„ 28	3.37 p.m.	1	54 4.3	
1852. Oct. 5	10.37 a.m.	1	54 6.8	54° 5'3
„ 5	3.37 p.m.	1	54 10.4	
„ 12	10.22 a.m.	1	54 5.0	
„ 12	3.37 p.m.	1	54 5.7	
„ 19	9.38 a.m.	1	54 3.2	
„ 19	3.15 p.m.	1	54 53.9	
„ 26	10.10 a.m.	1	54 8.2	
„ 26	3.17 p.m.	1	54 6.0	
1852. Nov. 2	9.40 a.m.	1	54 7.5	54° 4'1
„ 2	3.32 p.m.	1	54 6.2	
„ 9	10.22 a.m.	1	54 6.6	
„ 9	3.37 p.m.	1	54 5.8	
„ 16	10.15 a.m.	1	54 4.0	
„ 16	3.45 p.m.	1	54 4.8	
„ 23	10.10 a.m.	1	54 4.7	
„ 23	4.12 p.m.	1	54 15.6	
„ 26	10.32 a.m.	2	54 1.8	
„ 26	3.25 p.m.	2	54 4.8	
„ 30	10.15 a.m.	2	54 2.0	
„ 30	4.10 p.m.	2	53 54.4	
„ 30	10.18 a.m.	1	54 2.1	
„ 30	4.15 p.m.	1	53 57.4	

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	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.	
1852.	Dec. 7	10.12 a.m. 1	54° 2'·3	} (Yearly Mean, 1852, 54° 4'·7 54° 4'·3)	
	" 7	.....	4.3 p.m. 1	54 7·3	
	" 7	.....	10.6 a.m. 2	54 1·6	
	" 7	.....	4.53 p.m. 2	54 15·4	
	" 10	.....	10.15 a.m. 1	54 2·7	
	" 10	.....	4.15 p.m. 1	54 1·9	
	" 11	.....	9.27 a.m. 1	54 3·0	
	" 11	.....	3.57 p.m. 1	54 3·7	
	" 14	.....	9.40 a.m. 1	54 9·8	
	" 14	.....	3.38 p.m. 1	54 4·5	
	" 15	.....	10.15 a.m. 1	54 2·1	
	" 15	.....	3.56 p.m. 1	54 5·6	
	" 16	.....	10.11 a.m. 1	53 58·0	
	" 16	.....	3.30 p.m. 1	54 3·7	
	" 17	.....	9.12 a.m. 1	53 59·3	
	" 17	.....	3.30 p.m. 1	54 3·3	
	" 21	.....	9.38 a.m. 1	54 2·2	
	" 21	.....	3.21 p.m. 1	54 2·6	
	" 22	.....	10.25 a.m. 1	54 2·5	
	" 22	.....	3.25 p.m. 1	54 2·8	
	" 24	.....	10.27 a.m. 1	54 4·8	
	" 24	.....	3.20 p.m. 1	54 4·2	
	" 28	.....	9.35 a.m. 1	54 3·2	
	" 28	.....	3.35 p.m. 1	54 9·3	
	" 29	.....	9.50 a.m. 1	54 4·6	
	" 29	.....	3.37 p.m. 1	54 6·0	
	" 31	.....	9.16 a.m. 1	54 7·5	
	" 31	.....	3.25 p.m. 1	54 16·7	
1853.	Jan. 4	10.7 a.m. 1	54 7·9		} 54° 8'·9
	" 4	.....	3.30 p.m. 1	54 6·2	
	" 11	.....	3.36 ,, 1	54 11·5	
	" 12	.....	10.32 a.m. 1	54 5·7	
	" 12	.....	3.26 p.m. 1	54 7·7	
	" 25	.....	10.40 a.m. 1	54 7·1	
	" 25	.....	3.45 p.m. 1	54 11·4	
1853.	Feb. 1	10.16 a.m. 1	54 5·5	} 54° 7'·1	
	" 1	.....	3.49 p.m. 1	54 12·6	
	" 4	.....	3.31 ,, 1	54 6·2	
	" 5	.....	10.34 a.m. 1	54 11·0	
	" 8	.....	10.55 ,, 1	54 5·0	
	" 8	.....	3.27 p.m. 1	54 5·9	
	" 12	.....	10.20 a.m. 1	54 5·6	
	" 12	.....	3.51 p.m. 1	54 7·0	
	" 15	.....	7.55 a.m. 1	54 5·2	
	" 15	.....	3.55 p.m. 1	54 8·7	
	" 16	.....	10.15 a.m. 1	54 3·2	
	" 16	.....	4.30 p.m. 1	54 9·9	
	" 18	.....	10.35 a.m. 1	54 4·6	
	" 18	.....	4.0 p.m. 1	54 8·8	
	" 19	.....	10.20 a.m. 1	54 6·3	
	" 19	.....	4.9 p.m. 1	54 6·5	
	" 21	.....	9.38 a.m. 1	54 7·8	
	" 21	.....	2.40 p.m. 1	54 11·4	
	" 22	.....	8.0 a.m. 1	54 9·6	
	" 22	.....	4.17 p.m. 1	54 10·6	
	" 23	.....	9.30 a.m. 1	54 7·9	
	" 23	.....	4.54 p.m. 1	54 9·7	
	" 24	.....	10.16 a.m. 1	54 4·6	
	" 24	.....	3.10 p.m. 1	54 5·6	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1853.	Feb. 25	10.15 a.m.	1	54° 5'·6	54° 7'·1
	25	4.35 p.m.	1	54 4·7	
	26	10.19 a.m.	1	54 3·6	
	26	3.41 p.m.	1	54 5·0	
1854.	March 1	10.27 a.m.	1	54 7·2	54° 6'·4
	1	4.0 p.m.	1	54 7·7	
	2	10.23 a.m.	1	54 4·7	
	2	3.50 p.m.	1	54 4·4	
	4	10.52 a.m.	1	54 3·3	
	4	3.25 p.m.	1	54 5·7	
	5	10.32 a.m.	1	54 2·6	
	5	3.42 p.m.	1	54 4·8	
	8	10.20 a.m.	1	54 7·7	
	8	3.35 p.m.	1	54 10·8	
	9	10.25 a.m.	1	54 8·7	
	9	3.39 p.m.	1	54 11·7	
	11	10.30 a.m.	1	54 7·2	
	11	3.45 p.m.	1	54 11·3	
	12	9.4 a.m.	1	54 6·1	
	12	4.2 p.m.	1	54 9·6	
	15	10.25 a.m.	1	54 5·6	
	15	4.0 p.m.	1	54 8·1	
	16	10.17 a.m.	1	54 5·3	
	16	4.0 p.m.	1	54 6·0	
	18	10.21 a.m.	1	54 5·0	
	18	4.5 p.m.	1	54 9·5	
	19	10.32 a.m.	1	54 5·1	
	19	4.1 p.m.	1	54 7·3	
	22	10.25 a.m.	1	54 2·6	
	22	3.35 p.m.	1	54 4·2	
	23	10.35 a.m.	1	54 3·2	
	23	4.2 p.m.	1	54 5·2	
	26	10.35 a.m.	1	54 3·1	
	26	5.7 p.m.	1	54 8·1	
	29	10.35 a.m.	1	54 5·3	
	29	3.35 p.m.	1	54 7·6	
1853.	April 1	10.50 a.m.	1	54 6·7	54° 6'·5
	1	3.50 p.m.	1	54 6·6	
	5	9.32 a.m.	1	54 2·6	
	5	3.22 p.m.	1	54 7·6	
	8	10.34 a.m.	1	54 5·9	
	8	4.5 p.m.	1	54 11·1	
	12	11.30 a.m.	1	54 7·3	
	12	3.25 p.m.	1	54 9·6	
	15	10.16 a.m.	1	54 5·8	
	15	3.27 p.m.	1	54 5·5	
	19	10.37 a.m.	1	54 2·5	
	19	3.30 p.m.	1	54 7·0	
	23	9.7 a.m.	1	54 4·2	
	23	3.59 p.m.	1	54 6·4	
	26	7.47 a.m.	1	54 4·5	
	26	3.37 p.m.	1	54 9·9	
	29	10.15 a.m.	1	54 5·4	
	29	3.52 p.m.	1	54 7·3	
1853.	May 3	10.20 a.m.	1	54 8·7	54° 9'·0
	3	3.35 p.m.	1	54 14·9	
	6	10.12 a.m.	1	54 8·3	
	6	3.43 p.m.	1	54 11·5	

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	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.	
1853.	May 10	10.20 a.m.	1	54° 9'0	} 54° 9'0
	" 10	.....	3.25 p.m.	1	54 7.5
	" 13	.....	10.10 a.m.	1	54 4.5
	" 13	.....	3.10 p.m.	1	54 6.5
	" 17	.....	9.45 a.m.	1	54 6.3
	" 17	.....	4.4 p.m.	1	54 9.2
	" 20	.....	9.42 a.m.	1	54 8.6
	" 20	.....	3.57 p.m.	1	54 9.8
	" 24	.....	10.15 a.m.	1	54 8.0
	" 24	.....	3.40 p.m.	1	54 8.6
	" 27	.....	10.37 a.m.	1	54 10.0
	" 27	.....	3.25 p.m.	1	54 11.0
	" 31	.....	9.10 a.m.	1	54 9.8
	" 31	.....	4.2 p.m.	1	54 8.4
1853.	June 3	10.30 a.m.	1	54 6.8	} 54° 9'3
	" 3	.....	3.52 p.m.	1	54 11.2
	" 7	.....	10.15 a.m.	1	54 9.8
	" 7	.....	3.23 p.m.	1	54 11.8
	" 10	.....	10.42 a.m.	1	54 8.1
	" 10	.....	3.42 p.m.	1	54 9.3
	" 14	.....	9.47 a.m.	1	54 7.9
	" 14	.....	3.30 p.m.	1	54 12.4
	" 17	.....	9.45 a.m.	—	54 7.7
	" 17	.....	3.20 p.m.	—	54 8.2
	" 21	.....	10.10 a.m.	1	54 8.5
	" 21	.....	3.20 p.m.	1	54 6.8
	" 24	.....	9.40 a.m.	1	54 8.9
	" 24	.....	3.52 p.m.	1	54 11.3
" 28	.....	10.12 a.m.	1	54 8.7	
" 28	.....	4.15 p.m.	1	54 10.4	
1853.	July 1	10.45 a.m.	1	54 8.3	} 54° 10'2
	" 1	.....	3.25 p.m.	1	54 9.5
	" 5	.....	10.17 a.m.	1	54 8.2
	" 5	.....	3.52 p.m.	1	54 10.4
	" 8	.....	10.17 a.m.	1	54 6.2
	" 8	.....	4.25 p.m.	1	54 11.5
	" 12	.....	10.42 a.m.	—	54 12.0
	" 12	.....	3.51 p.m.	—	54 14.0
	" 15	.....	10.25 a.m.	1	54 12.5
	" 15	.....	4.37 p.m.	1	54 14.2
	" 19	.....	10.35 a.m.	1	54 10.4
	" 19	.....	3.47 p.m.	1	54 10.9
	" 22	.....	10.42 a.m.	1	54 7.6
	" 22	.....	4.7 p.m.	1	54 12.5
" 26	.....	10.20 a.m.	1	54 7.1	
" 26	.....	3.52 p.m.	—	54 10.6	
" 29	.....	10.20 a.m.	1	54 8.6	
" 29	.....	3.57 p.m.	1	54 9.5	
1853.	Aug. 2	10.12 a.m.	1	54 10.3	} 54° 9'2
	" 2	.....	3.25 p.m.	1	54 9.6
	" 5	.....	10.25 a.m.	1	54 10.2
	" 5	.....	3.50 p.m.	1	54 7.3
	" 9	.....	10.17 a.m.	1	54 10.3
	" 9	4.10 p.m.	1	54 10.2	
	" 12	10.39 a.m.	1	54 8.1	
	" 12	4.7 p.m.	1	54 9.8	
	" 16	9.12 a.m.	1	54 5.8	
	" 16	4.51 p.m.	1	54 7.4	

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1853.	Aug. 19	10.12 a.m.	1	54° 4'·3	54° 9'·2
	„ 19	4.20 p.m.	1	54 11·1	
	„ 23	10.15 a.m.	1	54 9·8	
	„ 23	4.7 p.m.	1	54 10·4	
	„ 26	10.10 a.m.	1	54 8·1	
	„ 26	4.22 p.m.	1	54 12·0	
	„ 31	10.7 a.m.	1	54 9·3	
	„ 31	4.55 p.m.	1	54 19·7	
1853.	Sept. 2	10.15 a.m.	1	54 13·8	54° 11'·7
	„ 2	4.35 p.m.	1	54 21·1	
	„ 6	10.35 a.m.	1	54 7·5	
	„ 6	4.58 p.m.	1	54 17·1	
	„ 9	10.27 a.m.	1	54 7·3	
	„ 9	4.37 p.m.	1	54 10·3	
	„ 13	10.12 a.m.	1	54 8·7	
	„ 20	11.25 „	1	54 7·9	
	„ 21	10.12 „	1	54 10·1	
	„ 21	4.35 p.m.	1	54 11·8	
	„ 23	10.37 a.m.	1	54 9·2	
	„ 23	4.40 p.m.	1	54 11·9	
	„ 26	12.15 a.m.	1	54 11·8	
	„ 26	3.52 p.m.	1	54 14·1	
	„ 28	11.10 a.m.	1	54 16·8	
	„ 28	4.20 p.m.	1	54 16·5	
	„ 30	10.15 a.m.	1	54 11·7	
	„ 30	4.11 p.m.	1	54 12·0	
1853.	Oct. 3	7.17 a.m.	1	54 10·2	54° 10'·1
	„ 3	4.10 p.m.	1	54 11·5	
	„ 5	9.17 a.m.	1	54 8·9	
	„ 5	4.31 p.m.	1	54 11·8	
	„ 7	9.35 a.m.	1	54 8·8	
	„ 7	4.40 p.m.	1	54 11·5	
	„ 10	4.31 „	1	54 10·5	
	„ 11	10.24 a.m.	1	54 9·6	
	„ 11	1.19 p.m.	1	54 9·4	
	„ 11	4.52 „	1	54 11·2	
	„ 12	8.57 a.m.	1	54 9·2	
	„ 12	1.18 p.m.	1	54 11·0	
	„ 12	4.41 „	1	54 10·0	
	„ 13	10.14 a.m.	1	54 9·0	
	„ 13	1.19 p.m.	1	54 9·6	
	„ 13	4.56 „	1	54 10·6	
	„ 14	10.12 a.m.	1	54 8·1	
	„ 14	1.19 p.m.	1	54 8·1	
	„ 14	4.25 „	1	54 11·4	
	„ 15	10.12 a.m.	1	54 7·9	
	„ 15	1.23 p.m.	1	54 8·4	
	„ 15	5.3 „	1	54 12·0	
	„ 17	8.57 a.m.	1	54 10·4	
	„ 17	1.32 p.m.	1	54 10·2	
	„ 17	4.51 „	1	54 10·1	
	„ 18	10.19 a.m.	1	54 8·5	
	„ 18	1.35 p.m.	1	54 7·3	
	„ 18	5.9 „	1	54 10·8	
	„ 19	10.5 a.m.	1	54 8·5	
	„ 19	1.26 p.m.	1	54 8·8	
	„ 19	4.57 „	1	54 10·5	
	„ 20	9.40 a.m.	1	54 11·3	
	„ 20	1.26 p.m.	1	54 11·0	
	„ 20	5.15 „	1	54 12·8	

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1853.	Oct. 21	10.11 a.m.	1	54° 11'·3	54° 10'·1
	21	1.32 p.m.	1	54 13·5	
	21	5.6	1	54 9·0	
	22	6.40	1	54 10·8	
	22	10.29 a.m.	1	54 9·5	
	22	1.29 p.m.	1	54 9·0	
	22	5.0	1	54 10·1	
	24	6.43 a.m.	1	54 10·7	
	24		1	54 10·6	
	24	1.21 p.m.	1	54 12·1	
	24	4.53	1	54 14·0	
	25	6.6 a.m.	1	54 11·1	
	25	10.18	1	54 11·0	
	25	2.10 p.m.	1	54 13·0	
	25	5.10	1	54 14·1	
	26	6.19 a.m.	1	54 10·9	
	26	10.4	1	54 10·5	
	26	1.34 p.m.	1	54 10·5	
	26	5.0	1	54 12·4	
	27	6.22 a.m.	1	54 10·2	
	27	10.3	1	54 8·2	
	27	1.34 p.m.	1	54 9·0	
	27	5.18	1	54 11·8	
	28	6.8 a.m.	1	54 9·3	
	28	10.31	1	54 5·8	
	28	1.56 p.m.	1	54 7·5	
	28	4.27	1	54 10·4	
	29	6.8 a.m.	1	54 8·3	
	29	10.9	1	54 11·7	
	29	2.11 p.m.	1	54 7·5	
	29	6.10	1	54 8·8	
	31	6.10 a.m.	1	54 10·6	
	31	10.27	1	54 9·8	
	31	1.35 p.m.	1	54 8·0	
	31	4.58	1	54 17·3	
1853.	Nov. 1	6.7 a.m.	1	54 13·6	54° 10'·7
	1	10.20	1	54 12·6	
	1	1.28 p.m.	1	54 13·4	
	1	6.12	1	54 16·6	
	1	10.30	1	54 17·4	
	2	6.14 a.m.	1	54 12·9	
	2	10.16	1	54 10·1	
	2	1.30 p.m.	1	54 8·5	
	2	5.27	1	54 10·1	
	2	10.10	1	54 14·8	
	3	6.21 a.m.	1	44 11·6	
	3	10.23	1	54 11·1	
	3	1.27 p.m.	1	54 7·3	
	3	6.32	1	54 9·8	
	3	10.38	1	54 9·4	
	4	6.26 a.m.	1	54 9·1	
	4	10.34	1	54 8·5	
	4	1.27 p.m.	1	54 7·4	
	4	6.14	1	54 9·3	
	4	10.25	1	54 9·9	
	5	6.9 a.m.	1	54 10·4	
	5	10.10	1	54 8·4	
	5	1.40 p.m.	1	54 7·5	
	5	6.37	1	54 10·1	
	8	10.15 a.m.	1	54 4·7	
	8	4.36 p.m.	—	54 11·4	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1853.	Nov. 9	10.53 a.m.	1	54° 7'2"	} 54° 10'·7
	" 9	5.5 p.m.	1	54 14·5	
	" 10	10.17 a.m.	1	54 11·2	
	" 10	4.59 p.m.	1	54 19·5	
	" 11	10.33 a.m.	1	54 13·1	
	" 11	5.50 p.m.	1	54 12·4	
	" 12	6.7 a.m.	1	54 10·1	
	" 12	10.6 "	1	54 8·5	
	" 12	1.29 p.m.	1	54 10·8	
	" 12	5.36 "	1	54 11·6	
	" 14	9.38 a.m.	1	54 12·6	
	" 14	5.11 p.m.	1	54 10·1	
	" 17	9.34 a.m.	1	54 8·5	
	" 17	4.38 p.m.	1	54 10·5	
	" 21	10.20 a.m.	1	54 9·9	
	" 21	4.34 p.m.	1	54 10·5	
	" 24	10.25 a.m.	1	54 9·6	
" 27	4.57 p.m.	1	54 6·0		
" 29	10.37 a.m.	1	54 10·1		
" 29	4.55 p.m.	1	54 10·2		
1853.	Dec. 3	10.42 a.m.	1	54 7·7	} 54° 11'·4 (Yearly Mean for 1853, 54° 9'·2)
	" 3	4.39 p.m.	1	54 10·7	
	" 6	10.16 a.m.	1	54 6·5	
	" 6	5.5 p.m.	1	54 25·1	
	" 9	10.25 a.m.	1	54 8·9	
	" 9	5.23 p.m.	1	54 10·6	
	" 13	10.19 a.m.	1	54 7·9	
	" 13	5.35 p.m.	1	54 16·1	
	" 16	10.41 a.m.	1	54 11·1	
	" 16	4.55 p.m.	1	54 12·2	
	" 21	11.9 a.m.	1	54 6·2	
	" 21	5.6 p.m.	1	54 17·3	
	" 27	10.55 a.m.	1	54 7·8	
	" 27	—	1	54 11·2	
" 30	7.3 a.m.	1	54 8·7		
" 30	6.19 p.m.	1	54 11·9		
1854.	Jan. 3	10.17 a.m.	1	54 13·5	} 54° 12'·9
	" 3	5.31 p.m.	1	54 15·8	
	" 6	10.37 a.m.	1	54 10·9	
	" 6	4.59 p.m.	1	54 11·9	
	" 10	10.27 a.m.	1	54 11·2	
	" 10	4 50 p.m.	1	54 10·7	
	" 14	10.55 a.m.	1	54 10·9	
	" 14	4.45 p.m.	1	54 12·3	
	" 17	10.17 a.m.	1	54 12·6	
	" 17	5.13 p.m.	1	54 12·3	
	" 21	10.23 a.m.	1	54 11·2	
	" 21	5.10 p.m.	1	54 15·6	
	" 25	10.6 a.m.	1	54 9·7	
	" 25	5.50 p.m.	2	54 15·3	
	" 27	10.21 a.m.	2	54 16·5	
" 27	4.31 p.m.	2	54 15·9		
" 31	10.42 a.m.	2	54 15·3		
" 31	4.44 p.m.	2	54 11·8		
1854.	Feb. 3	10.22 a.m.	2	54 12·4	} 54° 5'·6
	" 3	4.50 p.m.	2	54 20·7	
	" 7	10.13 a.m.	2	54 11·7	
	" 7	4.56 p.m.	2	54 13·3	
	" 28	10.0 a.m.	2	54 18·5	

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1854.	March 3 10.21 a.m.	2	54° 16'.4	} 54° 22'.0
	„ 3 4.41 p.m.	2	54 21.7	
	„ 10 9.14 a.m.	2	54 22.7	
	„ 10 4.54 p.m.	2	54 23.2	
	„ 14	..... 10.36 a.m.	2	54 19.5
	„ 14	..... 4.56 p.m.	2	54 23.7
	„ 22	..... 10.22 a.m.	2	54 18.3
	„ 22	..... 4.42 p.m.	2	54 20.1
	„ 28	..... 10.29 a.m.	2	54 25.6
	„ 28	..... 4.37 p.m.	—	54 33.4
	„ 31	..... 10.30 a.m.	2	54 23.1
	„ 31	..... 5.21 p.m.	2	54 15.7
1854.	April 4 10.17 a.m.	2	54 15.3		} 54° 21'.3
	„ 4	..... 5.24 p.m.	2	54 17.3
	„ 8	..... 10.45 a.m.	2	54 17.1
	„ 8	..... 5.6 p.m.	2	54 20.0
	„ 11	..... 10.39 a.m.	2	54 32.5
	„ 11	..... 4.42 p.m.	2	54 30.3
	„ 18	..... 10.18 a.m.	2	54 18.0
	„ 18	..... 4.42 p.m.	2	54 19.0
	„ 21	..... 10.43 a.m.	2	54 16.7
	„ 21	..... 4.36 p.m.	2	54 28.9
	„ 25	..... 10.26 a.m.	—	54 19.6
	„ 25	..... 4.39 p.m.	2	54 22.8
	„ 28	..... 10.26 a.m.	2	54 17.3
	„ 28	..... 4.10 p.m.	2	54 23.5
1854.	May 2 9.47 a.m.	2	54 29.3	} 54° 21'.3
	„ 2	..... 4.42 p.m.	2	54 32.0
	„ 5	..... 10.26 a.m.	2	54 22.0
	„ 5	..... 4.0 p.m.	2	54 27.2
	„ 9	..... 10.35 a.m.	2	54 20.2
	„ 9	..... 4.40 p.m.	2	54 18.3
	„ 12	..... 10.31 a.m.	2	54 21.5
	„ 12	..... 4.28 p.m.	2	54 26.7
	„ 17	..... 10.25 a.m.	2	54 8.6
	„ 17	..... 4.8 p.m.	2	54 17.4
	„ 20	..... 10.16 a.m.	2	54 18.8
	„ 20	..... 4.34 p.m.	2	54 21.0
	„ 23	..... 10.16 a.m.	2	54 18.3
	„ 23	..... 5.18 p.m.	2	54 22.4
	„ 26	..... 10.25 a.m.	—	54 19.0
	„ 26	..... 4.32 p.m.	2	54 21.6
	„ 30	..... 10.6 a.m.	—	54 14.4
	„ 30	..... 3.33 p.m.	2	54 24.9
1854.	June 2 10.15 a.m.	2	54 22.6	} 54° 19'.4
	„ 2	..... 4.51 p.m.	2	54 16.9
	„ 6	..... 10.30 a.m.	2	54 14.0
	„ 6	..... 5.49 p.m.	2	54 16.2
	„ 9	..... 10.15 a.m.	2	54 22.3
	„ 9	..... 4.23 p.m.	2	54 31.9
	„ 13	..... 10.9 a.m.	2	54 21.6
	„ 13	..... 4.17 p.m.	2	54 31.8
	„ 17 11.15 a.m.	2	54 31.7	
	„ 17 4.41 p.m.	2	54 20.0	
	„ 20 9.51 a.m.	2	54 13.9	
	„ 20 3.18 p.m.	2	54 13.8	
	„ 23 10.27 a.m.	2	54 7.7	

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1854.	June 23	4.21 p.m. 2	54° 11'·6	50° 19'·4
	„ 27	10.37 a.m. 2	54 26·4	
	„ 27	4.41 p.m. —	54 17·1	
	„ 30	10.25 a.m. 2	54 9·0	
1854.	Dec. 7	10.51 a.m. 2 (new pair)	54 19·1	54° 24'·8 (Yearly Mean for 1854, 54° 19'·6)
	„ 7	.....	6.12 p.m. 2	54 25·8
	„ 8	.....	10.10 a.m. 2	54 13·1
	„ 8	.....	5.8 p.m. 2	54 32·2
	„ 9	.....	11.42 a.m. 2	54 29·4
	„ 9	.....	6.7 p.m. 2	54 25·2
	„ 12	.....	10.12 a.m. 2	54 23·2
	„ 12	.....	5.0 p.m. 2	54 30·7
	„ 15	.....	10.40 a.m. 2	54 20·1
	„ 15	.....	4.55 p.m. 2	54 33·4
	„ 19	.....	10.16 a.m. 2	54 23·7
	„ 19	.....	6.11 p.m. 2	54 28·1
	„ 22	.....	10.30 a.m. 2	54 17·6
	„ 22	.....	5.25 p.m. 2	54 30·6
	„ 26	.....	12.42 a.m. 2	54 18·1
	„ 29	.....	6.5 p.m. 2	54 26·6
1855.	Jan. 2	10.20 a.m. 2 (new pair)	54 22·0	54° 5'·7
	„ 2	.....	5.27 p.m. 2	54 27·1
	„ 5	.....	5.45 „ 1	54 17·4
	„ 6	.....	10.20 a.m. 1	54 4·9
	„ 6	.....	6.4 p.m. 1	54 4·7
	„ 9	.....	11.0 a.m. 1	53 50·0
	„ 9	.....	2.27 p.m. 1	54 14·2
	„ 12	.....	10.17 a.m. 1	54 2·2
	„ 12	.....	5.32 p.m. 1	54 18·9
	„ 16	.....	10.15 a.m. 1	53 52·6
	„ 16	.....	5.18 p.m. 1	54 13·5
	„ 19	.....	9.32 a.m. 1	53 54·4
	„ 19	.....	5.45 p.m. 1	54 3·8
	„ 23	.....	11.10 a.m. 1	53 46·2
	„ 23	.....	5.22 p.m. 1	54 1·2
	„ 27	.....	11.28 a.m. 1	53 54·7
	„ 27	.....	11.28 „ 1	53 56·9
	„ 30	.....	11.2 „ 1	54 3·1
1855.	Feb. 2	10.15 a.m. 1 (new pair)	54 2·5	54° 24'·2
	„ 6	.....	10.35 „ 2	54 21·9
	„ 6	.....	5.15 p.m. 2	54 27·9
	„ 10	.....	9.38 a.m. 2	54 23·5
	„ 10	.....	5.42 p.m. 2	54 27·4
	„ 13	.....	10.16 a.m. 2	54 19·2
	„ 13	.....	5.34 p.m. 2	54 31·0
	„ 15	.....	10.22 a.m. 2	54 22·9
	„ 15	.....	5.25 p.m. 2	54 27·3
	„ 20	.....	9.0 a.m. 2	54 28·5
	„ 20	.....	5.5 p.m. 2	54 25·7
	„ 23	.....	9.6 a.m. 2	54 23·6
	„ 23	.....	5.0 p.m. 2	54 27·2
	„ 27	.....	9.0 a.m. 2	54 25·2
	„ 27	5.5 p.m. 2	54 23·1	
1855.	March 2	9.7 a.m. 2 (new pair)	54 25·3	54° 27'·0
	„ 2	4.32 p.m. 2	54 32·0	
	„ 6	9.15 a.m. 2	54 32·9	

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1855.	March 6	5.4 p.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 28'·8	54° 27'·0
	" 9	9.38 a.m.	2	54 23·1	
	" 9	5.55 p.m.	2	54 31·5	
	" 13	10.7 a.m.	2	54 22·6	
	" 13	5.20 p.m.	2	54 27·2	
	" 16	10.36 a.m.	2	54 20·3	
	" 16	5.32 p.m.	2	54 23·5	
	" 20	10.5 a.m.	2	54 26·2	
	" 20	5.27 p.m.	2	54 29·9	
	" 23	10.10 a.m.	2	54 26·1	
	" 24	4.52 p.m.	2	54 29·7	
	" 27	9.30 a.m.	2	54 25·4	
	" 27	4.41 p.m.	2	54 26·3	
	" 30	10.15 a.m.	2	54 25·8	
	" 30	4.35 p.m.	2	54 29·7	
1855.	April 3	12.52 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 27·4	54° 26'·8
	" 3	4.37 p.m.	2	54 24·3	
	" 5	11.52 a.m.	2	54 23·9	
	" 5	5.27 p.m.	2	54 30·7	
	" 10	10.15 a.m.	2	54 29·8	
	" 13	11.15 "	2	54 29·5	
	" 17	11.5 "	2	54 25·6	
	" 20	12.0 "	2	54 24·1	
	" 25	11.40 "	2	54 26·0	
	" 25	5.0 p.m.	2	54 24·4	
	" 27	10.30 a.m.	2	54 22·7	
	" 27	4.48 p.m.	2	54 31·7	
1855.	May 1	11.22 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 21·5	54° 26'·7
	" 1	5.21 p.m.	2	54 32·0	
	" 4	10.25 a.m.	2	54 31·8	
	" 8	10.32 "	2	54 24·1	
	" 8	4.37 p.m.	2	54 35·2	
	" 11	10.25 a.m.	2	54 25·4	
	" 11	3.45 p.m.	2	54 23·4	
	" 15	10.55 a.m.	2	54 22·9	
	" 15	4.49 p.m.	2	54 27·1	
	" 18	11.36 a.m.	2	54 28·3	
	" 18	4.36 p.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 22	10.55 a.m.	2	54 24·5	
	" 22	4.20 p.m.	2	54 23·9	
	" 25	11.5 a.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 25	4.15 p.m.	2	54 31·1	
	" 29	10.40 a.m.	2	54 23·2	
	" 29	4.15 p.m.	2	54 24·4	
1855.	June 1	11.30 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 22·0	54° 22'·1
	" 1	4.17 p.m.	2	54 24·6	
	" 5	11.27 a.m.	2	54 19·3	
	" 5	5.5 p.m.	2	54 16·8	
	" 8	11.22 a.m.	2	54 25·5	
	" 8	4.30 p.m.	2	54 34·5	
	" 12	10.55 a.m.	2	54 23·7	
	" 12	4.22 p.m.	2	54 21·1	
	" 15	10.35 a.m.	2	54 21·2	
	" 15	5.7 p.m.	2	54 22·4	
	" 19	11.25 a.m.	2	54 19·8	
	" 19	4.7 p.m.	2	54 26·6	
	" 22	10.15 a.m.	2	54 15·3	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1855.	June 22	3.55 p.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 15'·7	54° 22'·1
	26	11.25 a.m.	2	54 24·2	
	26	4.25 p.m.	2	54 24·3	
	29	10.37 a.m.	2	54 18·5	
	29	4.55 p.m.	2	54 23·1	
1855.	July 3	11.22 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 23·7	54° 24'·5
	3	4.7 p.m.	2	54 26·5	
	6	10.12 a.m.	2	54 26·0	
	6	5.20 p.m.	2	54 27·9	
	10	10.25 a.m.	2	54 26·3	
	10	4.22 p.m.	2	54 25·9	
	13	11.25 a.m.	2	54 28·7	
	13	4.55 p.m.	2	54 18·5	
	17	10.50 a.m.	2	54 23·2	
	17	3.55 p.m.	2	54 24·4	
	20	10.25 a.m.	2	54 18·0	
	20	4.16 p.m.	2	54 23·7	
	24	10.27 a.m.	2	54 23·5	
	24	4.32 p.m.	2	54 22·6	
	27	10.22 a.m.	2	54 21·4	
	27	4.25 p.m.	2	54 30·3	
	31	10.37 a.m.	2	54 26·1	
	31	4.47 p.m.	2	54 24·8	
1855.	Aug. 3	10.20 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 23·9	54° 23'·6
	3	4.42 p.m.	2	54 31·7	
	7	10.22 a.m.	2	54 20·0	
	7	4.22 p.m.	2	54 25·2	
	10	10.17 a.m.	2	54 18·8	
	14	9.12	2	54 22·3	
	14	4.37 p.m.	2	54 19·9	
	17	9.5 a.m.	2	54 19·2	
	17	4.25 p.m.	2	54 27·9	
	21	11.49 a.m.	2	54 19·3	
	21	4.40 p.m.	2	54 25·2	
	24	9.10 a.m.	2	54 23·9	
	24	5.7 p.m.	2	54 24·7	
	29	9.7 a.m.	2	54 18·7	
	29	4.37 p.m.	2	54 27·2	
1855.	Sept. 1	11.7 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 18·4	54° 23'·6
	1	4.52 p.m.	2	54 23·8	
	4	11.52 a.m.	2	54 20·1	
	4	4.57 p.m.	2	54 25·4	
	6	10.22 a.m.	2	54 17·1	
	6	4.22 p.m.	2	54 30·7	
	8	10.22 a.m.	2	54 23·3	
	8	4.47 p.m.	2	54 29·8	
	11	9.40 a.m.	2	54 19·4	
	11	4.54 p.m.	2	54 35·8	
	13	10.32 a.m.	2	54 24·6	
	13	4.52 p.m.	2	54 26·6	
	15	9.47 a.m.	2	54 27·4	
	15	4.59 p.m.	2	54 26·4	
	18	9.35 a.m.	2	54 21·9	
	18	4.57 p.m.	2	54 26·1	
	20	10.15 a.m.	2	54 23·3	
	20	5.8 p.m.	2	54 22·9	
	22	10.2 a.m.	2	54 17·5	
	22	4.56 p.m.	2	54 24·6	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1855.	Sept. 25	9.2 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 22'.8	54° 23'.6
	25	4.47 p.m.	2	54 23.9	
	27	9.2 a.m.	2	54 19.6	
	27	4.52 p.m.	2	54 19.0	
	29	9.37 a.m.	2	54 21.4	
	29	4.52 p.m.	2	54 22.5	
1855.	Oct. 2	9.11 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 19.9	54° 22'.1
	2	5.9 p.m.	2	54 23.2	
	4	9.32 a.m.	2	54 21.0	
	4	5.3 p.m.	2	54 25.0	
	6	9.26 a.m.	2	54 25.1	
	6	5.5 p.m.	2	54 25.2	
	9	10.5 a.m.	2	54 19.5	
	9	5.25 p.m.	2	54 19.1	
	11	10.15 a.m.	2	54 22.6	
	11	4.55 p.m.	2	54 22.7	
	13	10.5 a.m.	2	54 23.1	
	13	5.2 p.m.	2	54 21.4	
	16	9.2 a.m.	2	54 22.6	
	16	5.22 p.m.	2	54 26.5	
	18	10.12 a.m.	2	54 18.9	
	18	5.0 p.m.	2	54 21.3	
	20	8.35 a.m.	2	54 18.1	
	20	—	2	54 19.5	
	23	9.20	2	54 25.1	
	23	5.12 p.m.	2	54 22.9	
	25	9.41 a.m.	2	54 19.9	
	25	5.5 p.m.	2	54 20.2	
	27	9.36 a.m.	2	54 23.0	
	27	5.8 p.m.	2	54 24.2	
1855.	Dec. 11	9.37 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 19.7	54° 23'.3 (Yearly Mean, 1855, 54° 24'.5)
	11	5.12 p.m.	2	54 23.8	
	14	9.12 a.m.	2	54 21.9	
	14	6.5 p.m.	2	54 25.7	
	18	9.25 a.m.	2	54 22.2	
	18	5.20 p.m.	2	54 27.5	
	21	9.57 a.m.	2	54 23.7	
	21	4.37 p.m.	2	54 27.1	
	26	8.52 a.m.	2	54 18.5	
	26	5.20 p.m.	2	54 24.6	
	28	8.50 a.m.	2	54 20.2	
	28	4.35 p.m.	2	54 25.0	
1856.	Jan. 1	9.32 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 20.3	54° 23'.2
	1	4.53 p.m.	2	54 27.2	
	4	10.25 a.m.	2	54 18.4	
	4	5.25 p.m.	2	54 24.4	
	8	8.37 a.m.	2	54 19.9	
	8	5.20 p.m.	2	54 25.0	
	11	9.5 a.m.	2	54 21.8	
	11	5.9 p.m.	2	54 23.0	
	15	9.40 a.m.	2	54 22.5	
	15	5.42 p.m.	2	54 25.9	
	18	9.8 a.m.	2	54 20.0	
	18	5.20 p.m.	2	54 24.8	
	22	9.30 a.m.	2	54 24.6	
	22	5.30 p.m.	2	54 26.8	
	25	9.30 a.m.	2	54 25.1	
	25	5.8 p.m.	2	54 25.5	
	29	9.15 a.m.	2	54 25.6	
	29	5.6 p.m.	2	54 25.6	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1856.	Feb. 1	8.52 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 23'·1	} 54° 26'·2
	" 1	5.5 p.m.	2	54 27·0	
	" 5	9.5 a.m.	2	54 24·1	
	" 5	5.2 p.m.	2	54 27·2	
	" 8	9.12 a.m.	2	54 25·8	
	" 8	5.9 p.m.	2	54 28·7	
	" 12	9.30 a.m.	2	54 25·8	
	" 12	5.15 p.m.	2	54 27·3	
	" 15	10.5 a.m.	2	54 21·9	
	" 15	5.25 p.m.	2	54 24·2	
	" 19	9.22 a.m.	2	54 23·0	
	" 19	5.0 p.m.	2	54 25·3	
	" 22	9.5 a.m.	2	54 27·4	
	" 22	5.9 p.m.	2	54 30·0	
	" 26	9.20 a.m.	2	54 27·0	
	" 26	4.59 p.m.	2	54 28·3	
	" 29	9.9 a.m.	2	54 26·5	
	" 29	5.22 p.m.	2	54 28·9	
1856.	March 4	9.12 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 24·0	} 54° 23'·5
	" 4	4.55 p.m.	2	54 21·0	
	" 7	9.5 a.m.	2	54 24·1	
	" 7	5.15 p.m.	2	54 19·7	
	" 11	10.1 a.m.	2	54 23·2	
	" 11	5.1 p.m.	2	54 26·6	
	" 14	10.2 a.m.	2	54 22·0	
	" 14	4.52 p.m.	2	54 22·5	
	" 18	10.5 a.m.	2	54 21·5	
	" 18	5.25 p.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 22	10.7 a.m.	2	54 22·0	
	" 22	5.6 p.m.	2	54 21·8	
	" 25	10.5 a.m.	2	54 23·6	
	" 25	5.5 p.m.	2	54 23·0	
	" 28	9.0 a.m.	2	54 26·8	
	" 28	5.1 p.m.	2	54 27·6	
1856.	April 1	9.2 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 24·5	} 54° 27'·3
	" 1	5.5 p.m.	2	54 28·2	
	" 5	9.5 a.m.	2	54 25·2	
	" 5	4.45 p.m.	2	54 26·8	
	" 8	9.17 a.m.	2	54 23·3	
	" 8	5.0 p.m.	2	54 25·9	
	" 11	9.27 a.m.	2	54 25·1	
	" 11	4.55 p.m.	2	54 29·6	
	" 15	8.59 a.m.	2	54 24·2	
	" 15	5.5 p.m.	2	54 30·4	
	" 18	8.55 a.m.	2	54 28·3	
	" 18	4.40 p.m.	2	54 26·1	
	" 23	9.2 a.m.	2	54 31·8	
	" 23	5.2 p.m.	2	54 29·0	
	" 26	9.15 a.m.	2	54 28·8	
	" 26	4.55 p.m.	2	54 25·9	
	" 30	8.56 a.m.	2	54 29·8	
	" 30	4.55 p.m.	2	54 28·5	
1856.	May 2	9.7 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 25·1	} 54° 24'·7
	" 2	5.2 p.m.	2	54 27·5	
	" 7	8.57 a.m.	2	54 18·5	
	" 7	5.11 p.m.	2	54 23·2	
	" 10	10.7 a.m.	2	54 25·3	
	" 10	4.47 p.m.	2	54 26·9	

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	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1856.	May 13	10.2 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 25'·0	} 54° 24'·7
	„ 13	4.47 p.m.	2	54 25·3	
	„ 16	10.7 a.m.	2	54 23·0	
	„ 16	4.40 p.m.	2	54 23·7	
	„ 21	10.7 a.m.	2	54 22·4	
	„ 21	5.2 p.m.	2	54 26·5	
	„ 24	10.7 a.m.	2	54 21·8	
	„ 24	4.42 p.m.	2	54 21·6	
	„ 27	10.10 a.m.	2	54 26·5	
	„ 27	4.30 p.m.	2	54 29·1	
	„ 27	10.20 a.m.	2	54 26·5	
	„ 27	4.30 p.m.	2	54 29·1	
	„ 30	10.35 a.m.	2	54 20·9	
	„ 30	4.25 p.m.	2	54 26·6	
1856.	June 3	10.20 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 20·7	} 54° 24'·0
	„ 6	10.17	2	54 24·9	
	„ 6	4.40 p.m.	2	54 28·0	
	„ 7	4.40	2	54 20·6	
	„ 10	10.25 a.m.	2	54 22·3	
	„ 10	4.37 p.m.	2	54 22·4	
	„ 13	10.25 a.m.	2	54 23·4	
	„ 13	4.30 p.m.	2	54 28·6	
	„ 17	10.30 a.m.	2	54 20·8	
	„ 17	4.45 p.m.	2	54 27·6	
	„ 20	10.25 a.m.	2	54 19·3	
	„ 20	4.15 p.m.	2	54 31·8	
	„ 24	10.20 a.m.	2	54 24·0	
	„ 24	4.5 p.m.	2	54 21·6	
	„ 27	10.57 a.m.	2	54 21·2	
	„ 27	4.12 p.m.	2	54 26·6	
1856.	July 1	11.0 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 22·2	} 54° 21'·9
	„ 1	4.40 p.m.	2	54 27·1	
	„ 5	10.42 a.m.	2	54 27·5	
	„ 5	4.10 p.m.	2	54 23·1	
	„ 9	11.40 a.m.	2	54 15·2	
	„ 9	4.25 p.m.	2	54 18·2	
	„ 11	11.0 a.m.	2	54 17·4	
	„ 14	4.12 p.m.	2	54 26·4	
	„ 16	11.15 a.m.	2	54 25·8	
	„ 16	4.7 p.m.	2	54 24·8	
	„ 25	10.22 a.m.	2	54 22·4	
	„ 25	4.5 p.m.	2	54 16·9	
	„ 30	10.25 a.m.	2	54 20·0	
	„ 30	4.7 p.m.	2	54 19·6	
1856.	Aug. 1	11.30 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 23·4	} 54° 22'·9
	„ 1	5.2 p.m.	2	54 24·4	
	„ 5	12.37 a.m.	2	54 26·2	
	„ 6	4.15 p.m.	2	54 25·7	
	„ 8	10.37 a.m.	2	54 22·8	
	„ 8	4.22 p.m.	2	54 23·2	
	„ 12	11.2 a.m.	2	54 21·1	
	„ 12	4.40 p.m.	2	54 23·2	
	„ 15	11.2 a.m.	2	54 22·1	
	„ 15	4.5 p.m.	2	54 24·0	
	„ 22	10.7 a.m.	2	54 14·5	
	„ 22	4.2 p.m.	2	54 22·7	
	„ 26	10.7 a.m.	2	54 25·1	
	„ 26	3.57 p.m.	2	54 24·7	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1856.	Sept. 5	10.37 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 26'·3	54° 22'·0
	" 5	4.50 p.m.	2	54 25·6	
	" 12	10.55 a.m.	2	54 14·6	
	" 12	4.42 p.m.	2	54 16·3	
	" 17	11.25 a.m.	2	54 25·0	
	" 17	4.35 p.m.	2	54 23·8	
	" 23	10.22 a.m.	2	54 21·0	
	" 23	4.25 p.m.	2	54 20·0	
	" 27	9.6 a.m.	2	54 18·5	
	" 27	4.17 p.m.	2	54 26·2	
	" 29	11.19 a.m.	2	54 22·7	
	" 30	4.5 p.m.	2	54 23·8	
1856.	Oct. 3	11.25 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 27·2		54° 23'·8
	" 3	4.5 p.m.	2	54 21·0	
	" 7	11.25 a.m.	2	54 21·6	
	" 7	4.40 p.m.	2	54 22·1	
	" 10	10.55 a.m.	2	54 24·2	
	" 10	4.2 p.m.	2	54 22·6	
	" 14	11.2 a.m.	2	54 22·8	
	" 14	4.50 p.m.	2	54 20·9	
	" 18	11.0 a.m.	2	54 21·0	
	" 18	4.27 p.m.	2	54 22·8	
	" 21	10.12 a.m.	2	54 22·4	
	" 21	4.0 p.m.	2	54 29·8	
	" 25	10.8 a.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 25	4.42 p.m.	2	54 25·9	
	" 28	10.52 a.m.	2	54 25·6	
	" 28	3.52 p.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 31	10.8 a.m.	2	54 24·0	
	" 31	4.55 p.m.	2	54 20·9	
1856.	Nov. 4	10.8 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 23·7	54° 23'·6
	" 4	4.23 p.m.	2	54 22·2	
	" 7	10.12 a.m.	2	54 21·7	
	" 7	5.5 p.m.	2	54 24·1	
	" 11	10.58 a.m.	2	54 22·1	
	" 11	4.2 p.m.	2	54 27·5	
	" 14	10.8 a.m.	2	54 23·1	
	" 14	5.22 p.m.	2	54 19·8	
	" 18	10.5 a.m.	2	54 23·7	
	" 18	4.55 p.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 21	10.12 a.m.	2	54 26·1	
	" 22	4.2 p.m.	2	54 23·0	
	" 25	10.5 a.m.	2	54 21·1	
	" 25	4.37 p.m.	2	54 23·2	
	" 29	10.12 a.m.	2	54 24·0	
	" 29	4.0 p.m.	2	54 25·0	
1856.	Dec. 2	10.8 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54 20·1	54° 23'·7 (Mean for year 1856, 54° 23'·9)
	" 2	4.30 p.m.	2	54 18·0	
	" 5	10.8 a.m.	2	54 18·9	
	" 5	4.8 p.m.	2	54 25·5	
	" 9	10.8 a.m.	2	54 22·2	
	" 9	4.32 p.m.	2	54 26·7	
	" 12	10.20 a.m.	2	54 25·5	
	" 12	4.30 p.m.	2	54 30·4	
	" 15	9.23 a.m.	2	54 23·6	
	" 15	4.35 p.m.	2	54 24·3	
	" 24	10.12 a.m.	2	54 24·2	
	" 30	10.10 p.m.	2	54 23·5	

	Date.	Cape Time.	Needle.	Inclination.	Monthly Mean.
1857.	Jan. 9	10.10 a.m.	2 (new pair)	54° 25'·7	54° 23'·0
	„ 13	10.8	„ 2	54 19·9	
	„ 16	10.8	„ 2	54 25·5	
	„ 20	10.8	„ 2	54 21·9	
	„ 31	10.8	„ 2	54 22·0	
1857.	Feb. 3	10.28	„ 2 (new pair)	54 18·9	54° 19'·4
	„ 6	10.12	„ 2	54 19·9	
1858.	Mar. 16	10.30	„ 2 (new pair)	54 29·3	
1871.	Aug. 16	about noon	2	55 46·5	
	„ 30	about noon	1	55 44·2	
1871.	Sept. 28	noon	1	55 34·9	

APPENDIX III.

The following results are the monthly means of the horizontal intensity obtained by experiment at the Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope, at the dates given. The total intensity is calculated from the observed values of dip and of horizontal intensity.

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Date.	H.	Total Intensity.	Date.	H.	Total Intensity.	
	c.g.s. units.	c.g.s. units.		c.g.s. units.	c.g.s. units.	
1843.	July	·2084	1853.	June	·2056	·3510
	Oct.	·2093		July	·2056	·3513
1844.	Jan.	·2070		Aug.	·2057	·3512
	Apr.	·2067		Sept.	·2054	·3513
	July	·2069		Oct.	·2055	·3511
1845.	Feb.	·2085		Nov.	·2055	·3511
	Mar.	·2083		Dec.	·2055	·3511
	Apr.	·2077	1854.	Jan.	·2054	·3513
	May	·2084		Feb.	·2048	·3507
	June	·2082		Mar.	·2050	·3519
1846.	Apr.	·2080		Apr.	·2050	·3519
	Dec.	·2080		May	·2050	·3517
1847.	Jan.	·2080		June	·2050	·3515
	Feb.	·2078		July	·2049	
	Mar.	·2077		Aug.	·2050	
	Apr.	·2076		Sept.	·2049	
	May	·2077		Oct.	·2048	
	June	·2079		Nov.	·2049	
	July	·2078		Dec.	·2050	·3523
	Aug.	·2078	1855.	Jan.	·2050	
	Sept.	·2076		Feb.	·2048	·3519
	Oct.	·2074		Mar.	·2047	·3521
	Nov.	·2073		Apr.	·2049	·3523
	Dec.	·2073		May	·2047	·3521
1848.	Jan.	·2073		June	·2047	·3514
	Feb.	·2071		July	·2047	·3518
	Mar.	·2072		Aug.	·2048	·3518

Wilnot & Clerk.

Smalley.

Maclear.

Date.	H.	Total Intensity.	Date.	H.	Total Intensity.
	c.g.s. units.	c.g.s. units.		c.g.s. units.	c.g.s. units.
1848. Apr.	·2072	} Smalley.	1855. Sept.	·2047	·3516
May	·2073		Oct.	·2046	·3512
June	·2074		Dec.	·2047	·3516
July	·2072		1856. Jan.	·2047	·3515
Aug.	·2074		Feb.	·2046	·3518
Sept.	·2073		Mar.	·2045	·3512
Oct.	·2070		Apr.	·2044	·3517
Nov.	·2068		May	·2045	·3514
Dec.	·2069		June	·2044	·3512
1850. Jan.	·2066		July	·2043	·3507
1852. Sept.	·2058	·3507	Aug.	·2043	·3507
Nov.	·2060	·3503	Sept.	·2042	·3505
Dec.	·2058	·3509	Oct.	·2041	·3505
1853. Jan.	·2060	·3512	Nov.	·2042	·3507
Feb.	·2059	·3513	Dec.	·2042	·3508
Mar.	·2058	·3510	1857. Jan.	·2042	·3506
Apr.	·2056	·3508	Feb.	·2042	3502
May	·2056	·3510	Oct.	·2039	·3513

Maclaur.

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Date.	H.	T.
1873-9	·1989 c.g.s. units.	·3551 c.g.s. units. Challenger
1890-1	·1916 " "	·3542 " " Pensacola
1895-05	·1900 " "	·3572 " " Finlay
1897-8	·18835 " "	·3566 " " Finlay
1901-0	·1851 " "	·3559 " " B. & M.
1857 Oct.	·2060 " "	·3557 " " (Novara)